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MEMORANDUM FOR: Mr. Thomas B. Cormack
                  Executive Secretary

FROM   :   J. Kenneth McDonald
                  Chief, History Staff

SUBJECT   :   Review and Release of CIA Documents to Official NSA
                  Historians

    1. [   ] official historians   STAT
with the National Security Agency, have asked that they be permitted to
use the following CIA-originated documents from the Eisenhower Library in
preparing an official study on cryptology for NSA's historical program:

                Document #1, dated 11/6/57, SECRET
                Document #2, dated 4/30/57, TOP SECRET
                Document #3, dated 4/30/57, TOP SECRET
                Document #4, dated 1/29/58, SECRET
                Document #5, dated 3/1/60, TOP SECRET
                Document #6, dated 3/3/60, TOP SECRET
                Document #7, dated 7/11/62, SECRET
                Document #8, dated 12/14/54, SECRET
                Document #9, dated 10/30/56, SECRET

I would be grateful if you would review these documents and decide whether
they can be released (at their present classifications, unless you wish to
sanitize or downgrade them) to the National Security Agency for Mr.
[   ]   STAT

    2. [   ] NSA have agreed to the attached   STAT
"CIA Access Policy," which requires further CIA review before any of the
classified material you may now release to them can be declassified,
downgraded, or published.

    3. I would be grateful if you would return these documents with your
determination to the DCI History Staff, Room 316 Ames.

                                J. Kenneth McDonald

Attachments

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                                This memo is UNCLASSIFIED
                                when separated from attached
                                documents.

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